

**HIGH WINDS****January 2, 3-3:30pm newscast (TRT 1:26)**

KCAL9 reporter Craig Feigener reported on a red flag warning. High winds were rolling through the Southland, some up to 50 mph. Meteorologist Henry DiCarlo gave a forecast on what to expect.

**COLD AND WIND****January 3, 9-9:30pm newscast (TRT 1:32)**

KCAL9 reporter Sarah Acevedo reported on the powerful winter blast that hit the Southland on the first weekend of the New Year. Meteorologist Josh Rubenstein gave a forecast on what to expect.

**MARS LANDING****January 3, 9-9:30pm newscast (TRT 2:28)**

KCAL9 reporter Karla Davis reported on breaking news from Pasadena. The Spirit Spacecraft landed on Mars and scientists were waiting for it to signal that it had landed successfully.

**MARS TODAY****January 4, 9-9:30pm newscast (TRT 1:45)**

KCAL9 reporter Karla Davis reported that scientists at Jet Propulsion Laboratory are thrilled with the information and pictures the Spirit Rover is sending back.

**CAL-TECH QUAKE****January 17, 9-9:30pm newscast (TRT 2:17)**

KCAL9 weekend anchor Glen Walker reported that Cal-tech is using the Northridge earthquake as an educational tool to prepare for the next big quake. The insurance commissioner advises that all homeowners get earthquake coverage, and encourages retrofitting.

**WIND ADVISORIES****January 21, 10-10:45pm newscast (TRT 1:38)**

KCAL9 reporter Juan Fernandez reported that a red flag warning was in effect in parts of L.A. and Ventura Counties, where gusts could reach 55 miles an hour in the mountains.

**WINDY WEATHER****January 22, 2-3pm newscast (TRT 1:30)**

KCAL9 reporter Craig Feigener reported on the windy warnings in the Inland Empire and below the mountain passes. Meteorologist Josh Rubenstein reported on how much longer the winds would last.

**WINDY WEATHER****January 22, 12-1pm newscast (TRT 1:17)**

KCAL9 reporter Suraya Fadel reported on the strong wind advisory that was in effect all over the Southland. Drivers were being urged to be extra careful, and look out for flying debris on the freeways. Meteorologist Josh Rubenstein gave a forecast on how much longer they would last.

**EARTH TO MARS****January 22, 10-10:45pm newscast (TRT 1:20)**

KCAL9 reporter Sandra Mitchell reported that something went terribly wrong with the Mars "Spirit" Rover. She was at Jet Propulsion Laboratory where scientists are working through the night. They will make two attempts to communicate with the robot.

**BRUSH FIRE****January 22, 10-10:30pm newscast (TRT 1:09)**

KCAL9 anchor Kerry Kilbride reported that dry windy weather caused a brush fire in Pacific Palisades. The flames came dangerously close to homes. Firefighters were able to put it out very quickly.

**AIRPORT THREAT****January 30, 10-10:45pm newscast (TRT 1:04)**

KCAL9 reporter Glen Walker reported that new information showed that Los Angeles may be the next target for terror attacks. However, security at LAX remains the same.

**FLOOD WARNING****February 2, 8-9pm newscast (TRT 4:27)**

KCAL9 reporters Juan Fernandez, Christina Penza, and meteorologist Byron Miranda reported on a big storm that pounded through Southern California. Flash flood and winter storm warnings were in effect.

**DEADLIEST STREETS****February 5, 3-3:30pm newscast (TRT: 45)**

KCAL9 anchor Mia Lee reported that the San Fernando Valley has some of the deadliest streets in Southern California with 87 last year. Sherman way tops the list with 40 accidents, and 9 fatalities.

**BARSTOW FATAL****February 6, 10-10:45pm newscast (TRT 1:34)**

KCAL9 reporter Lisa Sigell reported live on a deadly accident on the Interstate 15. The pileup shut down the main road from L.A to Las Vegas. Four people were dead. The freeway at one point was backed for 30 miles.

**HIGH WINDS****February 9, 10-10:45pm newscast (TRT 2:54)**

KCAL9 meteorologists Byron Miranda and Josh Rubenstein report on the concerns about fire and high winds. Red flag warnings were issued in parts of the Southland.

**WINDS****February 12, 8-9pm newscast (TRT 1:50)**

KCAL9 Health watch reporter Dilva Henry reported that the windy weather is causing all sorts of problems for allergy sufferers. But the allergy sufferers can do something to get relief.

**SAFEST CITIES****February 16, 12-1pm newscast (TRT 1:48)**

KCAL9 reporter Angela Chee reported that Thousand Oaks is the safest, crime-free city in the United States.

**INLAND EMPIRE RAIN****February 18, 3-3:30pm newscast (TRT 2:12)**

KCAL9 reporter Craig Feigener reported that rain could cause problems for residents in the burned out areas. They have been bracing for possible mudslides.

**ROCKETCAM****February 20, 10-10:45pm newscast (TRT 3:24)**

KCAL9 reporter Jaime Garza reported on Rocketcam, a technology that is out of this world. The makers of Rocketcam say they have had a 100 percent success rate with their systems.

**METRO RAIN****February 20, 10-10:45pm newscast (TRT 1:40)**

KCAL9 reporter Jennifer Sabih reported on the rainy weather and the damage the thunder and lightning it left in Pasadena.

**SEPULVEDA BASIN/CLAREMOUNT STORM****February 22, 9-3:30pm newscast (TRT 3:47)**

KCAL9 reporters Karla Davis, Sarah Acevedo, and Chris McWatt reported on the steady rain that drenched Southern California. Sarah Acevedo reported that fire ravaged hillsides are a big concern in the Inland Empire. Chris McWatt reported that rain slick roads are causing problems all over Southland highways.

**STORMWATCH****February 25, 12-1pm newscast (TRT 2:09)**

KCAL9 reporters Suraya Fadel, Jennifer Davis, and meteorologist Henry DiCarlo reported on the powerful storm that was headed to Southern California. The storm had already caused heavy flooding in the bay area, and there is concern that it can do the same in the Southland. Jennifer Davis reported from Devore where there is concern over mudslides, and Henry DiCarlo had the latest pictures.

**SACRAMENTO RAIN****February 25, 10-10:45pm newscast (TRT 2:21)**

KCAL9 anchor Pat Harvey reported on the powerful winter storm that hit Northern California. The rain caused flooded streets, and a lot of traffic accidents. High winds uprooted trees, and knocked down powerlines.

**IRVINE WATER RESCUE****February 26, 8-9pm newscast (TRT 2:10)**

KCAL9 reporter Dave Lopez reported that the storm claimed a life in Irvine. A man was killed when his car ran off the 405 freeway and crashed into a flood control channel.

**MOUNTAIN SKIING****February 27, 3-3:30pm newscast (TRT 1:56)**

KCAL9 reporter Rick Chambers reported that the winter storm has moved on, and has left plenty of snow up in Big Bear. Making it a busy weekend in the local mountains.

**FRAZIER PARK****March 2, 8-9pm newscast (TRT: 25)**

KCAL9 anchor Pat Harvey reported that a blanket of white snow covered Frazier Park area, making it difficult for commuters. A snow advisory was in effect until 9pm, and drivers are being advised to be extra cautious.

**MARS ROVER****March 2, 10-10:45pm newscast (TRT: 55)**

KCAL9 anchor Kerry Kilbride reported that water was on Mars. The Rover "Opportunity" landed in a wall of small rocks. Scientists say that these rocks contain minerals that only form in the presence of water.

**MTN LION SIGHTING****March 5, 8-9pm newscast (TRT 1:10)**

KCAL9 anchor Pat Harvey reported on a recent mountain lion sighting in Riverside County. The Santa Rosa Plateau was closed after a hiker encountered the cat.

**HOT WEATHER****March 8, 10-10:45pm newscast (TRT 1:58)**

KCAL9 meteorologists Josh Rubenstein and Byron Miranda reported on the unseasonable heat wave in the Southland.

**SALMONELLA****March 11, 8-9pm newscast (TRT 1:38)**

KCAL9 reporter Joel Connable reported that an outbreak of Salmonella poisoned several people at a popular family restaurant.

**WARM WEATHER****March 7, 9-10pm newscast (TRT 1:40)**

KCAL9 reporter Katherine Blake reported on the hot record-breaking temperatures in the Southland. Sun worshippers were out taking advantage of the hot weather.

**HUNTINGTON BEACH POLLUTION****March 22, 8-9pm newscast (TRT 2:04)**

KCAL9 reporter Michele Gile reported that beachgoers aren't being warned in time about contaminated beach water. There are new concerns about the detection system that's supposed to keep our water safe.

**MARS ROVER****March 23, 2-3pm newscast (TRT 1:50)**

KCAL9 reporter Paul Dandridge reported that scientists at J-P-L discovered that there is evidence that a salty sea of water existed on the planet, and it could have certainly supported life.

**OIL GEYSER****March 24, 10-10:45pm newscast (TRT 1:50)**

KCAL9 reporter Lisa Sigell reported that the residents of a neighborhood in Huntington Beach were being updated on the clean up efforts, which cost hundreds of thousands of dollars. This comes after a week ago when they awoke to an oily mess in their neighborhood.

**BUNNY MADNESS****March 25, 12-1pm newscast (TRT 1:45)**

KCAL9 reporter Jennifer Sabih reported that there was a population explosion of rabbits in Chino. The rabbits were left to fend for themselves and were in need of the public's help.

**RIVERSIDE WATER****March 27, 8-9pm newscast (TRT 1:47)**

KCAL9 reporter Craig Feigener reported that residents in Riverside are being asked to cut back on the use of their water for the next month. The reason being, construction on the 215 freeway.

**CONTROLLED BURN****March 25, 10-10:45pm newscast (TRT 3:24)**

KCAL9 reporters Joel Connable and Lisa Sigell reported that a control burn in Big Bear turned out of control threatening Big Bear in fire season. Two popular ski resorts were evacuated. Joel Connable reported on the battle to stop the flames, and Lisa Sigell reported on the evacuations.

**DRUG CZAR****January 6, 3-3:30pm newscast (TRT 1:35)**

KCAL9 reporter Jennifer Davis reported on the Drug Czar's visit to Los Angeles. The Drug Czar is concerned about the number of children who use drugs in the Southland.

**MLK DAY KICKOFF****January 9, 8-9pm newscast (TRT: 35)**

KCAL9 anchor Kerry Kilbride reported on the week long events honoring Martin Luther King Junior. The Southern Christian Leadership Conference launched a voter registration drive to coincide and encourage African Americans in California to register to vote.

**LAUSD RESTROOMS****January 12, 12-1pm newscast (TRT :40)**

KCAL9 anchor Mia Lee reported that Los Angeles school board members may be able to form a plan to fix dirty restrooms at district schools.

**HIP HOP VOTERS****January 12, 2-3pm newscast (TRT: 47)**

KCAL9 anchor Mia Lee reported that Russell Simmons is launching a "Team Vote" campaign. With the help of some hip hop stars he hopes to register at least 2 million voters.

**NEWBORN SCHOLARSHIPS****January 13, 2-3pm newscast (TRT :50)**

KCAL9 anchor Mia Lee reports that help is on the way for new parents. Babies born between November 2002 and June 2004 have a chance at winning a 25,000-dollar scholarship from the makers of Enfamil.

**FUNDING GAP****January 15, 2-3pm newscast (TRT 1:53)**

KCAL9 news path reporter Julie Vallese reported on how schools across the country scramble to fill the funding gap. 99% of schools hold fundraisers. In 70% of the cases the money goes to general supplies and not extra curricular activities.

**TEACHER HONORED****January 15, 2-3pm newscast (TRT 2:35)**

KCAL9 reporter Lora McLaughlin reported on a local teacher who goes above and beyond to educate his students. President George W. Bush honored him.

**CHILD SEX ABUSE****January 15, 12-1pm newscast (TRT 1:52)**

KCAL9 reporter Jaime Garza reported live about a new program called "No Secrets." The program is intended to help students in L-A's largest school district learn about sexual abuse and how to guard against it.

**TEACHER HONORED****January 16, 12-1pm newscast (TRT 2:16)**

KCAL9 reporter Lora McLaughlin reported on a local teacher who was honored by George W. Bush, and also by the Queen of England.

**RANCHO TEENS SHOT****January 19, 8-9pm newscast (TRT 2:02)**

KCAL9 reporter Katherine Blake reports on a deadly shooting in Rancho Cucamonga. The gunman fired 50 rounds at three teens on a car near the 210 Freeway.

**BUSH/ASHLEY LETTER****January 21, 2-3pm newscast (TRT 1:09)**

KCAL9 anchor Dave Gonzalez reported on a young girl from Rhode Island named Ashley. President Bush quoted from her letter in his speech. Ashley's letter expressed concern about for the U.S. troops in Iraq.

**FREE CASH FOR STUDENTS****January 23, 3-3:30pm newscast (TRT: 42)**

KCAL9 anchor Mia Lee reported on "L.A. Free Cash For College Day". It urges students to take advantage of Financial Aid workshops. They are designed to help students with Cal Grant and Financial Aid forms.

**ERIN RUNNION****January 25, 9-9:30pm newscast (TRT 2:06)**

KCAL9 weekend anchor Glen Walker reported that Erin Runnion still grieves the loss of her 5-year-old daughter that was kidnapped and murdered. To cope with it she has come up with a program to keep children in the neighborhood safe. It's called Samantha's Pride.

**OBESE KIDS****January 27, 3-3:30pm newscast (TRT 2:03)**

KCAL9 reporter Jay Jackson reported live that California's kids needed to shape up fast. President Bush challenged the students in San Fernando to cut the fat in the name of health.

**AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM****January 29, 2-3pm newscast (TRT 1:55)**

KCAL9 reporter Angela Chee reported that L.A. top law officials warn that high school students will end up on the wrong side of the tracks if after-school programs are not funded.

**CHILD SEX PREDATOR****January 29, 8-9pm newscast (TRT 1:42)**

KCAL9 reporter Jay Jackson reported on "Operation Predator." "Operation Predator" is making progress in the effort to stop sexual offenders who target children anywhere in the world.

**STRAWBERRY HOME****January 30, 12-1pm newscast (TRT 2:38)**

KCAL9 reporter Dave Lopez reported that three young girls made up a story about an attack. A homeless man was behind bars for months before the girls finally told the truth.

**KINDERGARTEN DAY****January 30, 12-1pm newscast (TRT 2:00)**

KCAL9 reporter Rick Chambers reported that the L.A. Board Of Education is considering all day kindergarten for kids. It would be paid for with a bond measure that will appear on the March ballot.

**KIDS ANTI DEPRESSANT****February 2, 8-9pm newscast (TRT :45)**

KCAL9 anchor Leyna Nguyen reported that the FDA opened hearings on whether or not anti-depressant drugs increase the risk of suicide in children. Some British experts say certain anti-depressants can trigger suicide thoughts in depressed teens.

**TIPS TO AVOID****February 4, 12-1pm newscast (TRT 2:10)**

KCAL9 anchor Mia Lee reported on the concerns about child safety. Experts give parents tips to help their youngsters avoid being abducted.

**CA YOUTH AUTHORITY****February 4, 12-1pm newscast (TRT 1:13)**

KCAL9 anchor Mia Lee reported that a new report offers criticism of the mistreatment of juvenile criminals in state custody. It says the CYA the nation's most violent juvenile detention system. The report says many inmates aren't given the proper medical attention, and are subjected to abusive treatment.

**SEX ROOM****February 4, 10-10:45pm newscast (TRT 2:06)**

KCAL9 reporter Tom Duhan reported on an article written by a Sacramento high school teacher. The article suggested the school provide a room where students could have sex.

**KID FOUND****February 18, 12-1pm newscast (TRT 1:23)**

KCAL9 reporter Jennifer Davis reported that a Southland teenager spotted his picture on a missing children's website. He found out he was kidnapped by his mother and has a father in Canada.

**AMERICAN BULLY PT. 1****February 16, 2-3pm newscast (TRT 3:22)**

KCAL9 reporter Pat Harvey reported that the victims of bullies face a nightmare at school. They way a parent responds to the situation is critical to how the victim copes.

**AMERICAN BULLY PT. 2****February 17, 10-10:45pm newscast (TRT 3:09)**

KCAL9 reporter Pat Harvey reported on what's being done to protect children from bullies, and to make sure they don't become one. She visited a school in Chula vista where bullying was reduced by 70 percent.

**PARK NAILS****February 19, 12-1pm newscast (TRT 1:50)**

KCAL9 reporter Michele Gile reported that a young child playing in the sand discovered dozens of nails in an Orange County park.

**TEACHER ARRESTED****February 19, 10-10:45pm newscast (TRT 1:38)**

KCAL9 reporter Joel Connable reported live that a Chatsworth high school teacher was charged with child molestation. Prosecutors say she was having sexual relations with a 16-year-old female student.

**CHILD NURSE ABUSE****February 24, 2-3pm newscast (TRT 2:25)**

KCAL9 reporter Dave Lopez reported that a suspicious mother caught a nurse beating her disabled son on video camera.

**MURDER BETWEEN FRIENDS****February 24, 10-10:45pm newscast (TRT 4:00)**

KCAL9 reporter Kerry Kilbride reported on the murder of Kelly Bullwinkle. He went behind the scenes of a bizarre murder to see if a prank gone wrong was actually a murder between friends.

**MATH EDUCATION****February 25, 2-3pm newscast (TRT 1:35)**

KCAL9 news path reporter Keith Oppenheim reported on how a teacher is getting kids motivated to learn math. The kids in her class enjoy doing math by playing Jeopardy.

**CHILDREN/SLEEP****February 25, 8-9pm newscast (TRT :50)**

KCAL9 anchor Pat Harvey reported that one third of children in the U.S. don't get enough sleep. Doctors say a lack of sleep affects a child's mood and can play a critical role in their development.

**CLASS SIZE PARENTS****February 27, 8-9pm newscast (TRT 2:24)**

KCAL9 reporter Dave Lopez reported on how the State's budget forced parents and teachers in Orange County to take matters into their own hands. The parents and teachers raised a million dollars to help keep classes sizes smaller.

**SUNSHINE SCARVE'S****February 27, 10-10:45pm newscast (TRT 3:38)**

KCAL9 reporter Mia Lee reports on an incredible story behind a fashion accessory that's popular with Hollywood's elite, but actually benefits kids who have lost limbs.

**BRINGING IT ON****March 1, 10-10:45pm newscast (TRT 2:50)**

KCAL9 reporter Sandra Mitchell reported on cheerleaders who don't cheer for sports teams. They cheer for political causes. "Radical Teen Cheer: is becoming very popular in L.A. innercity schools. There are squads even in France, Poland and Japan. Their causes range from the war n Iraq to fighting racism.

**DECLARE YOURSELF****March 2, 10-10:45pm newscast (TRT 1:38)**

KCAL 9 reporter Lisa Sigell reported live that young Hollywood is in hopes of inspiring a new political movement. "Declare Yourself" is aimed at getting young people involved and fired up about politics.

**FALSELY ACCUSED****March 4, 8-9pm newscast (TRT 2:20)**

KCAL9 reporter Dave Lopez reported that it was judgment day for three girls in Orange County whose lies sent an innocent man to jail for eight months.

**TEEN VOTING****March 8, 9-10pm newscast (TRT 1:58)**

KCAL9 reporter Jennifer Sabih reported that a new measure was on the table. The new measure would lower the state's voting age.

**FEE HIKES****March 14, 9-9:30pm newscast (TRT 1:40)**

KCAL9 reporter Suraya Fadel reported live that thousands of community college students where boarding buses and were on there way to Sacramento to protest steep tuition hikes.

**ACADEMIC DECATHALON****March 17, 8-9pm newscast (TRT: 35)**

KCAL9 anchor Kerry Kilbride reported on a pep rally held for the Academic Decathlon team from El Camino Real High School. The team took the State Title, and will compete in the National Title in April.

**TEEN ARRESTED****March 17, 8-9pm newscast (TRT 2:06)**

KCAL9 reporter Paul Dandridge reported that a Southland student was facing serious charges after he was reportedly overheard threatening to kill two of his classmates. Police found dozens of live ammunition at his home.

**TEACHER HONORED****March 19, 8-9pm newscast (TRT 1:15)**

KCAL9 anchor Pat Harvey reported on a teacher being honored at San Gabriel's Washington Elementary School. Students from the past and present gathered to express their gratitude. Tina Bennett has been at the same school for 50 years.

**SCHOOL YOUTH SUMMIT****March 24, 8-9pm newscast (TRT 1:57)**

KCAL9 anchor Kerry Kilbride reported on a Youth Summit in El Sereno. 125 students took part in the summit. L-A unified officials wanted to get the students opinions on how to make the schools more effective, and how to improve the quality of education.

**SALADS IN SCHOOL****March 25, 8-9pm newscast (TRT 2:08)**

KCAL9 reporter Jay Jackson reported that cafeteria food got a lot healthier at some local high schools.

**SCHOOL/SAFE DRIVING****March 25, 2-3pm newscast (TRT :50)**

KCAL9 anchor Dave Gonzalez reported that Valencia High School students got a lesson in drunk driving. Students walked out to find a staged crash put on by the Santa Clarita Sheriff's station. Students played the roles of the victims in the staged crash.

**HIGH SCHOOL STEROIDS****March 25, 9-10pm newscast (TRT 1:42)**

KCAL9 reporter Carmine Gallo reported that steroids are a serious problem among California student athletes. Lawmakers got an earful from people who have dealt with the problem first hand.

**CHILD SAFETY SEATS****March 25, 8-9pm newscast (TRT 1:35)**

KCAL9 news path reporter Julie Vallese reports that studies show more parents are buckling up their kids in safety seats. And international

pop diva Celine Dion is lending her voice to make sure they do it correctly.

**HAIDL****March 25, 8-9pm newscast (TRT 2:18)**

KCAL9 reporter Dave Lopez reported that a hearing in the rape case of three Orange County teens would continue. Arguments over videotape should have ended, but the defense isn't finished with the fight over the tape.

**MUSLIM FOOTBALL****January 4, 9 – 9:30pm newscast (TRT: 53)**

KCAL 9-weekend anchor Leyna Nguyen reported that a Muslim football tournament in Irvine was causing controversy among Jewish leaders, because of the team names, (Intifadas, Soldiers of Allah, etc.). The tournaments organizer said the names show support for Muslims in the Middle East.

**CELL PHONE BAN****January 7, 2 – 3 pm newscast (TRT 2:13)**

KCAL 9 reporter Rick Chambers reported live that the City Council may make Los Angeles the next major city to ban cell phone use while driving. It's a plan that would not be well received by everyone.

**TARGET JOB FAIR****January 9, 2pm – 3pm newscast (TRT 1:58)**

KCAL 9 Money Man Alan Mendelson reported that Target wanted to hire 300 people to work at its new store in West Hollywood. The company held a 3-day job fair to find workers.

**DREW/SUPERVISORS****January 14, (TRT: 55)**

KCAL 9 anchor Dave Gonzalez reported that King Drew Medical Center would continue to operate despite a serious crisis. LA County Board of Supervisors held a meeting saying that 3 patients died needlessly. The county is re-evaluating its relationship with Drew Medical School, which trains the doctors. Health officials are optimistic that the problems will be fixed.

**NEIGHBORHOOD STOP SIGN****January 12, 3 – 3:30pm newscast (TRT: 37)**

KCAL 9 anchor Mia Lee reported that Chatsworth residents will hold a protest in the streets to make a dangerous intersection safe. They would like to stop signs on every corner to slow drivers down. The residents have heard promises from the city as well as from Edison and they haven't seen any results.

**MLK TONIGHT****January 19, 10 – 10:45pm newscast (TRT 2:32)**

KCAL 9 anchors Pat Harvey and Kerry Kilbride reported on the celebrations for Martin Luther King Junior's birthday. Several cities in Southern California held organized events. Many of those honoring him called for a day of action, and to act on their beliefs as he did. Services were also held in Atlanta, Memphis, and Denver.

### **PRISON REFORM**

#### **January 21, 2 – 3pm newscast (TRT 1:52)**

KCAL 9 anchor Dave Gonzalez reported that a State Senate committee is investigating allegations of corruption in the California Department of Corrections. Witnesses say the system is tarnished from the top down. Witnesses also testify that the prison guards union is to blame. The union insists it has not interfered with the investigation.

### **WAL MART**

#### **January 22, 2 – 3pm newscast (TRT 1:55)**

KCAL 9 reporter Christina Penza reported live that Council members in West Covina gave the red light to a massive project that would have included the massive retailer, Wal Mart.

### **MAGIC/WAMU LOANS**

#### **January 28, 2 – 3pm newscast (TRT: 54)**

KCAL 9 anchor Mia Lee reported that basketball legend Magic Johnson is teaming up with Washington Mutual to offer home loans. He's helping minorities realize their dreams of owning a home. Three loan centers will open up to help urban communities grow economically. Washington Mutual says members of the community will help staff the loan centers.

### **SOLDIERS VISIT SCHOOLS**

#### **January 28, 9 – 10pm newscast (TRT 2:08)**

KCAL 9 reporter Jay Jackson reported that soldiers who served in the war are back and paying a special visit to students who showed them support by sending cards and letters.

### **MOUNTAIN LION FUNDRAISER**

#### **January 31, 9 – 9:30pm newscast (TRT 1:48)**

KCAL 9-weekend anchor Leyna Nguyen reported that a fundraiser was held for two bicyclists that were attacked by a vicious mountain lion. The charity ride helped in the recovery of one victim, and fulfilling the wishes of another after his death.

### **WRONGLY CONVICTED**

#### **February 2, 2 – 3pm newscast (TRT 1:58)**

KCAL 9 reporter Jay Jackson reported live that a judge says an ex – marine who was wrongly convicted should be released. He has been behind bars for 24 years for a crime he didn't commit. 5 judges say he was wrongly convicted, but prosecutors say they want to try him again.

### **GROCERY STRIKE**

#### **February 4, 8 – 9pm newscast (TRT 1:27)**

KCAL 9 reporter Leyna Nguyen reported live that supermarket chains are shooting down a proposal to end the 4 month long strike. Striking workers had offered to return if both sides agreed to binding arbitration.

### **THE DOWN LOW**

#### **February 10, 10-10:45pm newscast (TRT 2:51)**

KCAL9 reporter Leyna Nguyen reported on the scenes of the Down Low. The DL is a fast growing and the most dangerous sub culture in society today. It applies to mainly African-American men, most married or dating women; who engage sexually with other men they meet in bathhouses, or so called DL parties.

### **SUPERMARKET**

#### **February 11, 12 – 1pm newscast (TRT 1:40)**

KCAL 9 reporter Angela Chee reported live that both sides of the supermarket strike are talking again. This time they are under the supervision of a federal mediator. These are the first talks between the unions and three chains since December 19<sup>th</sup>.

### **GAY MARRIAGE**

#### **February 12, 8 – 9pm newscast (TRT 1:51)**

KCAL 9 anchor Pat Harvey reported on National Freedom to Marry Day. Same sex couples in San Francisco and Southern California took a stand and said, "I do" as an act of civil disobedience.

### **HEARING ON IMMIGARTION**

#### **February 12, 9 – 10pm newscast (TRT 2:15)**

KCAL 9 anchor Sylvia Lopez reported that the Department of Homeland Security estimates eight million undocumented workers are in the U.S. today. The issue prompts a strong debate in Congress.

### **CHURCH FIRE**

#### **February 18, 12 – 1pm newscast (TRT 1:54)**

KCAL 9 reporter Carter Evans reported live that a church fire in Ontario might have been a hate crime.

**HOUSING VOUCHERS****February 23, 8 – 9pm newscast (TRT 2:10)**

KCAL 9 reporter Jay Jackson reported live that housing vouchers are considered worthless. Many people depend on them to pay for rent and other expenses, and some people may even end up homeless.

**OLD READER****February 24, 8 – 9pm newscast (TRT 2:55)**

KCAL 9 reporter Joel Connable reported on 73-year-old David Turner. David went through life without knowing how to read or write. He enrolled in Read Orange County, a literacy program that teaches people to read. After learning to read and write David wrote a letter to his son in Montana.

**HIGH STAKES GAMBLE****February 25, 2004 10-10:45pm newscast (TRT 4:35)**

KCAL9 reporter Dave Bryan goes from the card clubs to the Indian Casinos to talk about what's in store for the future of California if the Indians don't agree with the deal that they made with Governor Schwarzenegger.

**GAY MARRIAGE****February 27, 9 – 10pm newscast (TRT 1:50)**

KCAL 9 reporter Lisa Sigell reported live on the legal victory for same sex marriages. The state's highest court said the ceremonies could continue for now.

**MARKET STRIKE****February 27, 2 – 3pm newscast (TRT 4:10)**

KCAL 9 reporter Mark Coogan reported live that the union and grocery stores finally agreed on a contract, and that the striking workers had to vote on it. If the majority accepts the contract, it would end the largest supermarket strike in American history. Jaime Garza reported live to find out if shoppers would return to the stores.

**EASTER EGGS****March 4, 8 – 9pm newscast (TRT 1:05)**

KCAL 9 anchor Kerry Kilbride reported on tainted Easter eggs that were found at North Park Square in Irvine. A group of Nannies made the discovery. 10 Easter eggs were found containing jellybeans, mixed in with extra strength Bayer Aspirin. Police believe they have recovered all the tainted eggs, and are checking them for fingerprints.

**LIGHTHOUSE HOUSE****March 8, 10 – 10:45pm newscast (TRT 1:34)**

KCAL 9 reporter Glen Walker reported live that a landmark home in Hermosa known as the "Lighthouse House" could not be saved from developers, even though it stood for 76 years.

**MACARTHUR PARK****March 11, 10 – 10:45pm newscast (TRT 2:25)**

KCAL 9 reporter Jay Jackson reported on the efforts to turn Macarthur Park around. For years criminals have owned the park but now the L-A-P-D is on its way to taking it back.

**BOXER HALL OF FAME****March 7, 9 – 9:30pm newscast (TRT 2:10)**

KCAL 9-weekend anchor Glen Walker reported on the comeback story of former boxer Ernie "Indian Red" Lopez. After losing the welterweight title twice in the 60's and 70's Lopez dropped out. A week before this story aired Ernie's family found him living in a homeless shelter in Texas. Lopez was inducted into the California Boxing Hall of Fame.

**GROUP HOME****March 11, 10 – 10:45pm newscast (TRT 2:15)**

KCAL 9 reporter Jennifer Sabih reported live on plans to open a new group home in San Bernardino. Neighbors say the people are not welcome because they are developmentally disabled sex offenders.

**IRAQ HOMEFRONT****March 12, 9 – 10pm newscast (TRT 3:10)**

KCAL 9 reporter Kerry Kilbride reported on the recent details of the latest deaths in post war Iraq, and the family's reactions to it.

**COMMUNITY CLEAN UP****March 13, 9 – 9:30pm newscast (TRT: 42)**

KCAL 9-weekend anchor Leyna Nguyen reported on teenagers that hit the streets of Crenshaw in an effort to keep the neighborhood clean. It's all part of the "Clean and Green Program". Teenagers learn about conservation, and do something positive for the community.

**GARDEN INJUNCTION****March 17, 8 – 9pm newscast (TRT 1:59)**

KCAL 9 reporter Angela Chee reported on a decision affecting hundreds of families. Families in South Los Angeles are fighting to save a garden they use to earn money and feed their families.

**HOMELESS CAREER****March 25, 12 – 1pm newscast (TRT 1:40)**

KCAL 9 reporter Jennifer Davis reported that for the third year in a row the L-A Mission is working to find jobs for the homeless.

**BIG BEAR EVACS****March 25, 10 – 10:45pm newscast (TRT 1:57)**

KCAL 9 reporter Lisa Sigell reported live on residents who are demanding answers on why a fire was set in Big Bear and how it got out of control.

**INMATES RELEASED****March 25, 8 – 9pm newscast (TRT 1:55)**

KCAL 9 reporter Mark Coogan reported on the "Get Out of Jail Free" program. 130 criminals are freed every day from L-A County Jails because there is no money to keep them incarcerated.

**WRONG WAY FATAL****January 1, 12-1pm newscast (TRT 2:03)**

KCAL9 reporter Jay Jackson reported that a man driving the wrong way on the 605 freeway smashed into a mother and her four children. Investigators say that just moments before the suspect was involved in a hit and run collision.

**TEROR SECURITY****January 5, 9-10pm newscast (TRT 1:54)**

KCAL9 reporter Joel Connable reported that across the country and at LAX travelers are being fingerprinted and photographed as part of a new screening process in the on-going war on terror.

**CATHOLIC AUDIT****January 6, 8-9pm newscast (TRT 2:16)**

KCAL9 reporter Rick Chambers reported that an audit praises the L.A. Archdiocese and 90 percent of others for steps to protect children. However, critics have their doubts.

**MONTEREY PARK SUSPECT****January 7, 8-9pm newscast (TRT 1:26)**

KCAL9 reporter Sandra Mitchell reported that police are surrounding a building in Monterey Park where they believe a gunman is hiding. Officers say the suspect burst into the building, and shot a couple babysitting their grandchild.

**ANAHEIM HILLS****January 21, 10-10:45pm newscast (TRT 1:50)**

KCAL9 reporter Sandra Mitchell reported that a young man in Anaheim Hills shot his mother, brother, and then killed himself. When police arrived at the scene they found the house on fire.

**SUSPECT ARREST****January 22, 2-3pm newscast (TRT 1:57)**

KCAL9 reporter Rick Chambers reported live that a suspect wanted for murder, kidnapping, and sexual assault jumped from a second story window, rather than surrender to authorities.

**SEXUAL PREDATOR****January 23, 12-1pm newscast (TRT 2:11)**

KCAL9 reporter Michele Gile reported that concerned parents in Laguna Hills are coping with the news of a convicted sex offender living in their neighborhood.

**WOMAN SHOT****January 25, 9-9:30pm newscast (TRT 1:15)**

KCAL9 weekend anchor Glen Walker reported that a Torrance woman was fighting for her life after someone shot her in a drive by shooting. Police say she was standing outside a friend's home when it happened. They believe the suspects are gang members, however the victim is not affiliated with gangs.

**MORSE CLOSING****January 27, 2-3pm newscast (TRT 1:26)**

KCAL9 reporter Rick Chambers reported on the closing arguments in the re-trial of former Inglewood Police Officer Jeremy Morse, accused of making a violent arrest.

**SIMI RAPIST****January 27, 12-1pm newscast (TRT 1:38)**

KCAL9 reporter Angela Chee reported that police are trying to stop a sex offender from striking again. They say he has sexually assaulted one woman in her own home.

**SERIAL RAPIST****January 28, 2-3pm newscast (TRT 2:00)**

KCAL9 reporter Jennifer Davis reported that a teacher who is being called a serial rapist, was in court today. Investigators say they need more people to come forward. Parents at the San Fernando Valley School where he taught were outraged.

**COLTON BODIES****January 28, 10-10:45pm newscast (TRT 1:29)**

KCAL9 reporter Chris McWatt reported live on a disturbing discovery. The remains of two men were found buried under a cement slab in the backyard of a home in Colton.

**ANAHEIM RAPIST****January 30, 10-10:45pm newscast (TRT 1:26)**

KCAL9 reporter Lisa Sigell reported live that a man was facing charges of rape in cases dating back years ago. Harvey Melber III befriended teenage girls and then later attacked them.

**TERROR EARLY WARNING****January 30, 8-9pm newscast (TRT 2:03)**

KCAL9 reporter Angela Chee reported that L.A law enforcement is always looking for ways to keep the public safe from terrorists. The largest drill of its kind took place in two cities, all to make it more realistic.

**LAX FLIGHTS****February 1, 9-9:30pm newscast (TRT 1:51)**

KCAL9 reporter Sandra Mitchell reported that several terrorist threats are behind the cancellation of international flights, including one that was headed to LAX.

**BANK ROBBER****February 1, 9-9:30pm newscast (TRT 1:45)**

KCAL9 reporter Michele Gile reported on what 's being done to catch one of America's most dangerous bank robbers. He targets banks right here in the Southland, and police have tagged him "The Bad Boyz Bandit".

**MCMARTIN: FROM THE BENCH****February 2, 10-10:45pm newscast (TRT 3:42)**

KCAL9 reporter Pat Harvey reported on the McMartin preschool scandal. She looked back at the case, and revealed inside stories from the man who valiantly tried to keep his jury pool together despite deaths, injuries, and the stress it would cause from being the longest criminal trial the world had seen.

**AIRPORT THREAT****February 2, 9-10pm newscast (TRT 1:34)**

KCAL9 reporter Glen Walker reported live that new information showed that international flights headed to Los Angeles might be targeted by terrorists.

**ESCAPEES ARRESTED****February 4, 10-10:45pm newscast (TRT 1:38)**

KCAL9 anchor Pat Harvey reported that three men who escaped from a detention center in Castaic were captured. The escapees were captured in Santa Clarita just 13 hours after they got away.

### **INTERNET RAPE**

#### **February 8-9pm newscast (TRT 1:55)**

KCAL9 reporter Michele Gile reported that officials in Orange County believe Internet flirting might have ended in rape for a Fullerton teen. The suspect is 46, and his alleged victim is 13.

### **COOPER LATEST**

#### **February 9, 8-9pm newscast (TRT 3:34)**

KCAL9 reporters Jennifer Miller and Lisa Sigell reported that convicted killer Kevin Cooper's execution would be stopped just hours before he was set to die. The court says that new evidence needs to be examined. Jennifer Miller reported on the reaction. Lisa Sigell reported live from Westwood where people were holding a vigil and march in support for Kevin Cooper.

### **COMPTON VERDICTS**

#### **February 10, 9-10pm newscast (TRT 2:06)**

KCAL9 reporter Josh Rubenstein reported that Compton Mayor Omar Bradley was found guilty of taking public funds for his own use.

### **ANATOMY OF HIJACKING**

#### **February 10, 2-3pm newscast (TRT 3:59)**

KCAL9 reporter Kerry Kilbride reported on horrifying video that reveals the anatomy of a hijacking. The terror began when a man running from police got on an MTA bus. He held the driver hostage, and killed an innocent woman in the process.

### **MOTHER KILLED**

#### **February 11, 3-3:30pm newscast (TRT 1:57)**

KCAL9 reporter Jaime Garza reported that L.A. County detectives need the public's help to catch a person who shot a mother, as she waited at a bus stop with her four-year-old daughter.

### **FREEWAY CAPTURE**

#### **February 12, 10-10:45pm newscast (TRT 1:45)**

KCAL9 reporter Sandra Mitchell reported that a man wanted for several rapes was finally in jail after making a desperate attempt to escape. The suspect sprinted across several lanes on the North Hollywood Freeway in the dark.

**ROBBERY MURDER FOLLOW****February 12, 8-9pm newscast (TRT 1:59)**

KCAL9 reporter Joel Connable reported live that police were closing in on suspects wanted for murdering a 73 year old man during a robbery. The robbery was caught on tape. Two men are in custody, but they need help to find the third.

**12 YEAR OLD SHOT****February 16, 12-1pm newscast (TRT 2:10)**

KCAL9 reporter Jay Jackson reported that a 12 year old was killed after sneaking out to hang out with his friends. A suspected gang member killed him during a shooting outside of a nightclub in Los Angeles.

**DROWSY DRIVING****February 19, 10-10:45pm newscast (TRT 3:02)**

KCAL9 reporter Joel Connable reported on what the laws are here in Los Angeles for drowsy drivers and what is available to help avoid terrible accidents. Smart cars have sensors to alert a driver when they are dosing off. Joel finds out if commuters are using the potentially "eye opening" devices.

**MAIN OFFICER SHOT****February 20, 10-10:45pm newscast (TRT 2:07)**

KCAL9 reporters Glen Walker and Joel Connable reported on the death of a young police officer. 30 year Ricardo Lizarraga was on the force for two and a half years. His suspected killer was arrested after a massive manhunt in South L.A. Glen Walker was live in South Los Angeles. Joel Connable was live at Cedars Sinai where the officer was rushed.

**WRESTLER MURDER****February 23, 8-9pm newscast (TRT 2:35)**

KCAL9 reporter Dave Lopez reported on the preliminary hearings of two suspects charged with killing a high school wrestler. It was a love triangle that ended up in murder. A popular high school wrestler was lured to his death by an offer of sex.

**PEDESTRIAN AX****February 24, 10-10:45pm newscast (TRT 1:50)**

KCAL9 reporter Jennifer Sabih reported that police arrested a hit and run driver after he ran down two pedestrians on the intersection of Victory and Van Nuys Boulevard.

### **OC BANK ROBBERY**

#### **February 25, 12-1pm newscast (TRT 2:04)**

KCAL9 reporter Michele Gile reported that the F-B-I is looking for three men who robbed a bank in Orange County. The robbers also roughed up and robbed the customers, including a 91-year-old woman.

### **SEXUAL ASSAULT**

#### **February 27 10-10:45pm newscast (TRT 1:37)**

KCAL9 reporter Carter Evans reported that Ontario police are trying to catch a sexual predator before he strikes again. The suspect kidnapped a 12-year-old girl from in front of her junior high and later sexually molested her.

### **DEADLY STREET RACE**

#### **February 28, 9-9:30pm newscast (TRT 1:40)**

KCAL9 reporter Chris McWatt reported that a fatal crash in Long Beach was the result of illegal street racing. Two people were killed when a pickup truck hit a speeding car.

### **7 - 11 HOMICIDE**

#### **March 2, 8-9pm newscast (TRT 2:25)**

KCAL9 reporter Dave Lopez reported on three suspects that were in custody in the murder of a convenience store clerk. The victim was beaten and stabbed to death in Irvine.

### **PURSUIT POLICY**

#### **March 4, 8-9pm newscast (TRT 1:59)**

KCAL9 reporter Joel Connable reported live that L-A-P-D Chief William Bratton wanted to make major changes in his police pursuit policy.

### **BRATTON JAILS**

#### **March 4 8-9pm newscast (TRT: 56)**

KCAL9 anchor Pat Harvey reported that thousands of criminals would be released early because of budget cuts and fewer deputies on the streets.

**WOMAN KILLED****March 4, 10-10:45pm newscast (TRT 1:28)**

KCAL9 reporter Lora McLaughlin reported that deputies are desperate for the public's help in solving a murder mystery. A young woman was killed, and later dropped off at a hospital. Officials are hoping that sketch released to the public will lead to new information.

**POLICE DOG****March 5, 8-9pm newscast (TRT 1:55)**

KCAL9 reporter Dave Lopez reported that Santa Ana police have a new officer and partner, unlike any of other kind. It's a police dog named Ygor. It is already a big hit with the kids.

**VAN UNDOCUMENTED****March 8, 12-1pm newscast (TRT 1:48)**

KCAL9 reporter Lora McLaughlin reported live that California Highway Patrol acted on a tip and stopped a truck. They found 20 suspected illegal immigrants. Some were suffering from dehydration. Three people were being questioned.

**NISSAN LIGHTS****March 8, 10-10:45pm newscast (TRT 2:25)**

KCAL9 reporter Juan Fernandez reported that instead of hubcaps and stereos, thieves are ripping off headlights. Not just any, but the expensive extra bright ones.

**HATE CRIME****March 11, 12-1pm newscast (TRT 1:48)**

KCAL9 reporter Angela Chee reported that racism rocked a Southland community college. Students and teachers rallied to show they will not tolerate hate crimes on campus, after a professor's car was vandalized.

**SKIRT CAMERA****March 11, 10-10:45pm newscast (TRT 2:10)**

KCAL9 reporter Jaime Garza reported that a teenage girl was the target of a bold criminal who used a hidden camera to look up her skirt. Ironically he was caught on camera.

**LAPD HAND HELDS****March 1, 8-9pm newscast (TRT 1:12)**

KCAL9 anchor Kerry Kilbride reported that L-A-P-D will begin to use new hand held gadgets to help officers keep track of where they are,

and what they are doing. The pods will determine if police are stopping people for the valid reasons.

### **JARAMILLO**

#### **March 18, 8-9pm newscast (TRT 1:50)**

KCAL9 reporter Dave Lopez reported that an Orange County assistant sheriff was fired. He is now the target of a second grand jury investigation.

### **UNDERGROUND PARTIES**

#### **March 19, 10-10:45pm newscast (TRT 1:35)**

KCAL9 reporter Lisa Sigell reported that underground parties are becoming a growing concern with police. Two teenagers have recently died at these parties. Police fear that more parties, and more violence might be in the making.

### **SWAT SIMULATOR**

#### **March 22, 10-10:45pm newscast (TRT 1:55)**

KCAL9 reporter Juan Fernandez reported on a new technology for the future to train the cops of the future. It is a firearms simulator that surrounds police with sight and sound.

### **RIVERSIDE WEBSITE**

#### **March 23, 3-3:30pm newscast (TRT 1:28)**

KCAL9 reporter Craig Fiegenger reported that the County of Riverside is listing all sex offenders on their website complete with photo, name, and area they live in.

### **ELDERLY SCAM**

#### **March 23, 8-9pm newscast (TRT 2:05)**

KCAL9 reporter Rick Chambers reported that L-A police are hoping to turn a con artist into a convict. They arrested a suspect accused of ripping off seniors while posing as a CBS news attorney.

### **SEX ASSAULT SUSPECT**

#### **March 23, 8-9pm newscast (TRT 1:40)**

KCAL9 reporter Lisa Sigell reported that the Beverly Hills Police needs the public's help in tracking down a dangerous suspect. A sexual predator is targeting women in Beverly Hills, and it could be linked to another assault in the Southland.

**GANG INJUNCTION****March 25, 8-9pm newscast (TRT 1:55)**

KCAL9 reporter Jay Jackson reported that L-A-P-D has additional powers to combat one of the most violent street gangs in Los Angeles. It's a court injunction that could cripple the gang's activities.

**DEMOCRATIC DEBATE****January 4, 9-9:30pm newscast (TRT 3:59)**

KCAL9 anchor Glen Walker reported that seven Democratic White House hopefuls gathered in Iowa for the first debate of the election year 15 days before the Iowa caucuses. Candidate Howard Dean gathered much of the fire in the feisty debate.

**STATE OF THE STATE****January 6, 9-10pm newscast (TRT 5:30)**

KCAL9 political reporter Dave Lopez reported live from Sacramento that Governor Schwarzenegger's first state of the state address focused on finances and called for cooperation among lawmakers. The speech was received like a blockbuster hit.

**IMMIGRATION MAINBAR****January 7, 10-11pm newscast (TRT 2:16)**

KCAL9 political reporter Dave Bryan reported that President Bush planned to turn millions of "illegal" immigrants into "legal guest workers." Immigration has been a fiery issue in California. Some analysts believe that win or lose on the immigration reform proposal; President Bush may have already scored a political victory.

**ARNOLD'S BUDGET****January 9, 8-9pm newscast (TRT 2:45)**

KCAL9 anchor Glen Walker reported that Governor Arnold Schwarzenegger's first state budget does not raise taxes but relies on deep cuts in social programs, a refinancing of the state's debt and hope that the California economy continues to grow.

**BACA SALES TAX****January 20, 8-9pm newscast (TRT 1:45)**

KCAL9 anchor Kerry Kilbride reported that Los Angeles County Sheriff Lee Baca says that the governor's budget is making it harder for cities and counties to pay for law enforcement. Baca is hoping to make up for the shortfall with a half-cent increase in the sales tax and has enlisted supporters to help him get the money.

**BUSH DAY AFTER****January 21, 10-11pm newscast (TRT 2:40)**

KCAL9 political reporter Dave Bryan reported that President Bush took his state of the union message on the road visiting three crucial battleground states on the trip. States, which could make the difference between winning and losing a second term.

**ARNOLD/PROP 57 & 58****January 22, 2-3pm newscast (TRT 2:17)**

KCAL9 political reporter Linda Breakstone reported that Governor Schwarzenegger's proposed budget cuts might be painful. If the 15 billion dollar debt reduction measures don't pass in March, the next round of cuts will be even worse.

**IRAQ LATEST****January 22, 9-10pm newscast (TRT 2:05)**

KCAL9 political reporter Dave Bryan reported that the road to democracy in Iraq is paved with more deaths. The latest casualties include American soldiers and Iraqi civilians.

**KAY/WMD'S****January 28 9-10pm newscast (TRT 2:39)**

KCAL9 anchor Kerry Kilbride reported that former Chief Weapons Inspector David Kaye is now admitting, "We were almost wrong." Kay said that weapons of mass destruction might never have existed in amounts reported by intelligence agencies around the world.

**DEMOCRAT DEBATE****January 29, 10-11pm newscast (TRT 2:47)**

KCAL9 political reporter Dave Bryan reported that the Democratic Presidential candidates faced off against one another in a debate in South Carolina. Six of the Democrats have one thing in common; they all want to slow down the front-runner senator John Kerry.

**ELECTION TODAY****February 2, 2-3pm newscast (TRT 2:35)**

KCAL9 political reporter Linda Breakstone reported that despite what is expected to be a very poor showing; former Vermont Governor Howard Dean wants to struggle along through California to become Kerry's last credible challenger.

**BUSH/WMD****February 4, 9-10pm newscast (TRT 3:26)**

KCAL9 political reporter Dave Bryan reported that the Bush Administration is firing back on the issue of the war in Iraq and weapons of mass destruction. Bush and his defense secretary mounted a spirited defense of the war and the intelligence on the weapons.

**BUSH WMD PROLIFERATION****February 11, 9-10pm newscast (TRT 3:02)**

KCAL9 political reporter Dave Bryan reported that President Bush is declaring a World War against the spread of weapons of mass destruction. The president has outlined a sweeping crackdown of the black market in nuclear technology and other dangerous weapons. Front-runner senator John Kerry.

**TV DECENCY****February 11, 2-3pm newscast (TRT 1:52)**

KCAL9 Anchor Mia Lee reported that radio and TV executives are on the hot seat following the revealing Superbowl Half-Time Show. They are apologizing at a FCC hearing for what happened.

**EDWARDS/DEMOCRATS****February 12, 10-11pm newscast (TRT 2:19)**

KCAL9 political reporter Dave Bryan reported that Democratic presidential candidate, John Edwards is plowing ahead with a rally in Culver City and a fundraiser in Bel Air trying to convince his California supporters to hang in there.

**PREGO PARKING****February 12, 8-9pm newscast (TRT)**

KCAL9 anchor Pat Harvey reported that Thousand Oaks Assemblyman Tony Strickland introduced a bill that would allow pregnant women in their "third trimester" to use disabled parking spaces. The bill is intended to make life a bit easier for expectant mothers.

**BUSH RECORDS****February 13, 9-10pm newscast (TRT 2:55)**

KCAL9 reporter Glen Walker reported live that President Bush ordered the release of his entire military file after questions continued two days after The White House released copies of his military check stubs from 30 years ago.

**911 CALLS****February 16, 9-10pm newscast (TRT 2:25)**

KCAL9 reporter Joel Connable reported live that a Southern California lawmaker introduced a bill to deal with crank calls to 911. The penalties for repeat offenders are no joke.

**ELECTION****February 18, 10-11pm newscast (TRT 2:22)**

KCAL9 political reporter Dave Bryan reported that Howard Dean's campaign sputtered to a halt after he announced in Burlington Vermont that he was no longer pursuing the presidency.

**GAY WEDDINGS****February 22, 9-9:30pm newscast (TRT)**

KCAL9 anchor Leyna Nguyen reported that protestors on both sides of the gay marriage debate hit the streets of San Francisco. Demonstrators held signs outside a church that gave a special blessing for newly married gay and lesbian couples.

**TOSS SIGELL****February 23, 8-9pm newscast (TRT 2:52)**

KCAL9 reporter Lisa Sigell reported live from San Francisco on the latest on same-sex unions. After two weeks of non-stop marriages, the clerk's office is now granting licenses by appointment only.

**CHILD GUN SAFETY****February 24, 2-3pm newscast (TRT 1:39)**

KCAL9 Reporter Jennifer Davis reported that Los Angeles Mayor and police officials want to keep kids safe. They are backing a new plan by U.S. Senator Barbara Boxer to encourage gun owners to use child safety locks.

**BUSH GAY MARRIAGE****February 24, 10-11pm newscast (TRT 2:27)**

KCAL9 political reporter Dave Bryan reported that President Bush urged a constitutional amendment against gay marriages. Reaction has been swift and divisive.

**SOCIAL SECURITY****February 26, 12-1pm newscast (TRT 1:15)**

KCAL9 money reporter Alan Mendelson reported that the president and investment advisors are proposing to let workers handle more of their retirement funds.

**ELECTION 2004****February 27, 9-10pm newscast (TRT 3:28)**

KCAL9 political reporter Dave Bryan reported that Senator John Kerry tried to turn the tables on president Bush. Just four days before the Tuesday primaries, Kerry lowered the boom on the president's handling of the war in Iraq and the war on terrorism.

**PETTY THEFT****February 27, 8-9pm newscast (TRT 2:20)**

KCAL9 reporter Jay Jackson reported that the costly "three strikes" case is raising questions about justice after a woman who stole a 30-dollar toolbox is set to serve her sentence.

**DEMOCRATIC DEBATE****February 29, 9-10pm newscast (TRT 2:37)**

KCAL9 political reporter Dave Bryan reported that Democratic candidates spent the Sunday before Super Tuesday campaigning and debating for the nomination. It was the final debate before the 10-state showdown on Tuesday.

**STRIKE ANNIVERSARY****March 1, 9-10pm newscast (TRT 1:22)**

KCAL9 anchor Sylvia Lopez reported that Governor Pete Wilson and Three Strikes author Bill Jones appeared at a news conference to mark the ten-year anniversary of California's Three Strikes Law. Wilson says that California is now safer because of three strikes.

**PROPS AT A GLANCE****March 1, 9-10pm newscast (TRT 2:35)**

KCAL9 reporter Leyna Nguyen reported on the propositions that will have a major impact on the future of California. The report was to offer California voters a clear understanding of the propositions before the election.

**MADDOX/HOFFENBLUM****March 2, 9-10pm newscast (TRT 3:46)**

KCAL9 news anchor Pat Harvey reported that John Edwards would drop out of the race for president. Two strategists, Kerman Maddox and Allan Hoffenblum, joined Harvey to discuss whether John Kerry can win against President Bush.

**DEMOCRATS TONIGHT****March 2, 9-10pm newscast (TRT 2:16)**

KCAL9 reporter Glen walker reported live from Democratic Headquarters in Downtown that democratic senator Dianne Feinstein threw her political weight behind Governor's Schwarzenegger's two ballot initiatives.

**OC ELECTIONS****March 2, 10-11pm newscast (TRT 1:14)**

KCAL9 news anchor Kerry Kilbride reported that incumbents faced serious challengers in only three U.S. Congressional Districts in California. One of them is the 46<sup>th</sup> district in Orange County.

**COOLEY NIGHT****March 2, 10-11pm newscast (TRT 2:10)**

KCAL9 reporter David Goldstein reported live from Universal City that Los Angeles County District Attorney Steve Cooley is battling five challengers in this primary election.

**PROP 55/56****March 2, 10-11pm newscast (TRT 1:04)**

KCAL9 news anchor Kerry Kilbride reported that state proposition 56 has failed. The proposition 56 issue was allowing the legislature to pass the budget and tax bills with a 55 percent vote.

**PRESIDENTIAL RACE****March 5, 10-11pm newscast (TRT 2:05)**

KCAL9 political reporter Dave Bryan reported on the latest in the presidential race. Sluggish job growth is bad news for President Bush while Senator Kerry's problem is the economics of his campaign.

**IRAQ CONSTITUTION****March 8, 9-10pm newscast (TRT 1:52)**

KCAL9 news anchor Kerry Kilbride reported that Iraq's governing council has signed a new interim constitution into law. Getting the various religious and ethnic factions to reach agreement is a major achievement.

**WORKERS COMP****March 10, 9-10pm newscast (TRT 2:12)**

KCAL9 reporter Carmine Gallo reported from our Sacramento Bureau that democrats and republicans want to overhaul the state's workers compensation system but they do not agree on how to do it.

**IRAQ CONSTITUTION****March 11, 8-9pm newscast (TRT 2:15)**

KCAL9 news reporter Sandra Mitchell reported that a series of terrorist bombs blew apart four commuter trains in Madrid killing almost 200 people. The bombings may be linked to AL Quada.

**GAY MARRIAGE****March 11, 10-11pm newscast (TRT 1:45)**

KCAL9 news reporter Lisa Sigell reported that the California Supreme Court decision puts a stop to same sex marriages until it's fate is decided by the lower then supreme courts. More than 37-hundred marriage licenses have been handed out to same sex couples.

**BUSH AND FOX****March 7, 9-10pm newscast (TRT 1:00)**

KCAL9 news anchor Sylvia Lopez reported that President Bush met with Mexico's president Vicente Fox to talk about various issues.

**TOSS BRYAN****March 12, 10-11pm newscast (TRT 2:44)**

KCAL9 political reporter Dave Bryan reported that President Bush and Senator John Kerry are trading negative TV spots ranging from taxes to terrorism. Kerry put out a new campaign, in a response to a Bush commercial, accusing the president of running misleading commercials about his record.

**ARNOLD/COUNTIES****March 17, 9-10pm newscast (TRT 2:07)**

KCAL9 reporter Carmine Gallo reported that California's budget crunch is about to get more painful. Governor Schwarzenegger let county leaders know why he's cutting and what he's cutting.

**BUSH/KERRY****March 18, 8-9pm newscast (TRT 2:30)**

KCAL9 political reporter Linda Breakstone reported that President Bush visited troops who fought in Iraq to thank them for a job well done. The president said that the U.S. must continue its war against terrorism.

**LA NFL TEAM****March 19, 8-9pm newscast (TRT 1:36)**

KCAL9 reporter Rick Chambers reported that some lawmakers are working hard to get Los Angeles an NFL team again. The big questions are will it be worth it and how will it be paid for?

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE****March 24, 12-1pm newscast (TRT 1:42)**

KCAL9 reporter Aleen Sirgany reported that a doctor with a law degree from Sacramento is appearing before the high court for the first time. Michael Newdow believes the words "under God" in the Pledge of Allegiance violate the constitutional guarantee of separation of church and state.

**SMOKING BAN PASS****March 24, 12-1pm newscast (TRT 2:00)**

KCAL9 reporter Angela Chee reported that after a long debate, Santa Monica city leaders gave an initial approval to a proposed ordinance that would ban smoking at the city's beaches and bus stops.

**11 HEARINGS/CLARK****March 24, 10-11pm newscast (TRT 1:45)**

KCAL9 reporter Glen Walker reported that there was riveting testimony in the second day of special hearings into the September 11 attacks. The star witness Richard Clark said that before the attacks, combatting terrorism was not an issue in the Bush Administration.

### **MEAT RECALL**

#### **January 2, 12-1pm newscast (TRT 2:26)**

KCAL9 reporter Jennifer reported that about 12 hundred pounds of cattle infected with mad cow disease was shipped to a supermarket in Fountain Valley. The supermarket sold most of the meat before being told to pull it off their shelves.

### **WEIGHT LOSS**

#### **January 5, 12-1pm newscast (TRT 2:44)**

KCAL9 health reporter Dilva Henry reported that losing weight is one of the biggest New Years resolutions. Henry reported that a man was able to lose 171 pounds using practical weight loss tips.

### **NO SMOKING LASER**

#### **January 6, 2-3pm newscast (TRT 1:26)**

KCAL9 health reporter Dilva Henry reported on technology to help people quit smoking. Freedom Laser Therapy relaxes the body through difficult craving periods. Preliminary studies show the treatment to be 85% effective.

### **MANAGE ASTHMA**

#### **January 2, 12-1pm newscast (TRT 1:44)**

KCAL9 health reporter Dilva Henry reported that asthma is skyrocketing among children. It has increased more than 90 percent in the last ten years but there is help to manage symptoms.

### **SALMON DANGER**

#### **January 9, 8-9pm newscast (TRT 2:11)**

KCAL9 health reporter Dilva Henry reported that researchers have found a link between salmon and cancer. Scientists discovered that farmed salmon has up to 11 times more contaminants than wild salmon.

### **BREAST IMPLANTS**

#### **January 15, 8-9pm newscast (TRT 1:56)**

KCAL9 health reporter Dilva Henry reported that when women with breast implants are diagnosed with breast cancer, they have a tougher time with conventional treatment. Henry shared details of a new treatment that shows promising results for women with breast implants.

**ATKINS CHANGES****January 19, 10-11pm newscast (TRT 1:52)**

KCAL9 reporter Lisa Sigell reported live from West LA that the folks behind the Atkins Diet may be telling people to lighten up a bit. There could be some dietary changes.

**ALZHEIMERS/VITAMINS****January 20, 2-3pm newscast (TRT 2:14)**

KCAL9 health reporter Dilva Henry reported that in a groundbreaking study of nearly 5000 people ages 65 and older, scientists found those who took daily supplements of both vitamin e and c reduced their risk of Alzheimer's disease almost by 80 percent.

**MAKING AN EAR****January 23, 12-1pm newscast (TRT 1:46)**

KCAL9 health reporter Dilva Henry reported on an innovative procedure that will enable a child born with one ear to hear. Edmund Hobbs received a new ear made out of polyethylene instead of the traditional approach of using the child's rib.

**FAITH TOBACCO****January 27, 12-1pm newscast (TRT 1:25)**

KCAL9 health reporter Dilva Henry reported that this year marks the 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the landmark Surgeon General's report on the hazards of tobacco addiction. Some religious leaders are launching a new campaign hoping to reduce tobacco related deaths.

**PREMATURE BABIES****January 27, 2-3pm newscast (TRT 2:33)**

KCAL9 health reporter Dilva Henry reported that the rate of premature births has increased nearly 30-percent in the past twenty years. Those premature babies often face special health problems such as RSV.

**DENTAL IMPLANTS****January 29, 12-1pm newscast (TRT 1:54)**

KCAL9 health reporter Dilva Henry reported that a new implant system right here in Southern California accomplishes one-hour tooth replacement. The procedure is called the Sargon Immediate-Load Implant that is placed right into the socket of a tooth that has to be extracted, and then expanded to fit the cavity.

**VIRTUAL REALITY CHEMO****January 29, 8-9pm newscast (TRT 2:04)**

KCAL9 anchor Kerry Kilbride reported that chemotherapy could take a severe toll on your body. A new study shows how virtual reality sessions can ease chemotherapy side effects.

**VIRTUAL REALITY CHEMO****February 2, 12-1pm newscast (TRT :32)**

KCAL9 anchor Dave Gonzalez reported that babies exposed to anti-depressants known as SSRI's had more tremors and did more rapid eye movement sleeping than other newborns.

**HEALTHY KIDS****February 4, 12-1pm newscast (TRT :56)**

KCAL9 health reporter Dilva Henry reported that more kids are developing high cholesterol, high blood pressure, diabetes and even signs of early heart disease due to the dramatic rise in childhood obesity. Doctors say parents can make a difference.

**HIGH CARB DIET****February 6, 8-9pm newscast (TRT 1:45)**

KCAL9 health reporter Dilva Henry reported that a "high carb diet has arrived. People are saying pass me the pasta, hand me the cookies and give me the bread!

**SURGERY VS. RADIATION****February 10, 2-3pm newscast (TRT 2:04)**

KCAL9 health reporter Dilva Henry reported that there are more than 200 thousand new cases of prostate cancer diagnosed each year. Each case comes with a tough decision. Men have to decide whether to have surgery to remove it or radiation to kill it.

**WINDS ALLERGIES****February 12, 8-9pm newscast (TRT 1:45)**

KCAL9 health reporter Dilva Henry reported that the windy weather is causing all sorts of problems from red flag warnings to allergies. Henry says that you don't have to suffer in silence, there is something that you can do to get relief.

**BENEFITS OF LOVE****February 13, 8-9pm newscast (TRT 2:09)**

KCAL9 health reporter Dilva Henry reported that that if you are in a loving relationship, consider yourself lucky. Love not only makes the world go round, it can keep you healthier throughout your life.

**TEEN OBESITY SURGERY****February 18, 12-1pm newscast (TRT 1:56)**

KCAL9 health reporter Dilva Henry reported that adolescent obesity could lead to lots of health problems, including diabetes and heart disease. Parents and doctors are now considering bariatric or gastric by-pass surgery to get the weight down.

**WOMEN/HEART ATTACKS****February 24, 2-3pm newscast (TRT 2:15)**

KCAL9 health reporter Dilva Henry reported that heart disease is the number one killer of men and women. Many cardiologists say far too many of these deaths are preventable, especially among women.

**KIDS MENUS****February 24, 8-9pm newscast (TRT 2:04)**

KCAL9 reporter Jennifer Miller reported that the food police are on patrol again. This time they are targeting family restaurants and focusing on the kid's menu.

**FOOD FOR LIFE****February 26, 2-3pm newscast (TRT 2:19)**

KCAL9 health reporter Dilva Henry reported that when most of us think about healthy eating, it usually means cutting back on certain foods. But you can become healthier if you add certain foods to your diet.

**ARTIFICIAL DISC****February 26, 8-9pm newscast (TRT 2:12)**

KCAL9 health reporter Dilva Henry reported that there are new advancements on repairing spine problems right here in Southern California. The surgical procedure is still experimental but it yields excellent results.

**TEEN DRUG USE****February 26, 12-1pm newscast (TRT 1:35)**

KCAL9 health reporter Dilva Henry reported that more and more teens are getting the message about the dangers of drugs according to a new national survey. Media campaigns, school programs and other anti-drug efforts appear to be paying off.

**FAT COURT****February 26, 10-11pm newscast (TRT 3:14)**

KCAL9 anchor Kerry Kilbride reported that fast-food chains are changing their menus to include health-conscious items for a fear of being sued. Kilbride talked to local attorneys and clients who are turning high calories into high stakes litigation.

**AQUATIC THERAPY****February 27, 8-9pm newscast (TRT 1:51)**

KCAL9 health reporter Dilva Henry reported that physical therapists are using hydrotherapy more and more to treat the aches and pains of everyone. It was once reserved for helping athletes recover from injury.

**REVERSING DIABETES****March 1, 8-9pm newscast (TRT 2:05)**

KCAL9 health reporter Dilva Henry reported that if you have type-2 diabetes you don't have to spend your whole life on medication. It is a curable disease. All it takes is dedication and discipline.

**SUPERSIZE DROP****March 2, 10-11pm newscast (TRT 1:40)**

KCAL9 reporter Joel Connable reported live from Hollywood that McDonalds is getting rid of its super size portions. The chain is under pressure to offer customers healthier choices.

**BETTER THAN BOTOX****March 5, 10-11pm newscast (TRT 3:28)**

KCAL9 anchor Pat Harvey reported that the FDA is concerned about the use of "cosmeceutical." The cosmetic cream is not a drug but it does more than just sits on top of your skin.

**FEMALE EGGS****March 10, 8-9pm newscast (TRT :40)**

KCAL9 anchor Kerry Kilbride reported that the latest ovarian research could lead to new treatments for infertility and menopause. Boston researchers now believe that the ovaries produce egg cells well into adulthood.

**TOSS SIGELL****March 12, 10-11pm newscast (TRT 1:33)**

KCAL9 reporter Lisa Sigell reported live from the Fairfax District that the government wants to help you count calories and keep you from

putting in the pounds. It's asking food makers to improve labels on drinks, chips and other foods so they are easier to read.

**DRUGS COMPUTER TECH****March 19, 8-9pm newscast (TRT 2:03)**

KCAL9 health reporter Dilva Henry reported that as the number of prescription drugs continue to grow, so does the risk that a physician could make a prescription mistake. A simple hand-held computer can help doctors avoid problems such as improper dosages and dangerous drug interactions.

**ANTI-DEPRESSANTS****March 22, 10-11pm newscast (TRT 1:44)**

KCAL9 reporter Laura McLaughlin reported that anti-depressants could be deadly. The FDA says that the popular medication could possibly lead to suicide and they want drug manufacturers to put a warning label on every bottle sold.

**TOSS DILVA****March 25, 2-3pm newscast (TRT :56)**

KCAL9 health reporter Dilva Henry reported that an HIV vaccine might be on the horizon. The AIDS Research Alliance began preliminary testing of a promising drug in West Hollywood.

**AIRPORT LOCKS****January 6, 9-10pm newscast (TRT 1:54)**

KCAL9 money reporter Alan Mendelson reported that a new lock had been approved for airport luggage. The Transportation Security Administration wants this lock to be used on all baggage. There is master key that fits to all bags so they don't have to break into it. Once opened a green indicator turns red. TSA is supposed to leave a note saying they inspected the bag. If no note is left, the luggage may have been tampered with.

**BOND MARKET****January 8, 12-1pm newscast (TRT 1:53)**

KCAL9 money reporter Alan Mendelson reported that Wall Street had a positive reaction to Governor Schwarzenegger's State of the State Speech, and his plan for the giant bond issue to bailout the state's finances. If the plan is approved the state will sell fifteen billion dollars of bonds to investors so the state can pay its debt.

**WINTER AIRFARES****January 6, 12-1pm newscast (TRT 1:59)**

KCAL9 money reporter Alan Mendelson reported that airlines are cutting airfares for a winter fare war. Fares were cut right after the holiday vacation period to spur business, and this time fares are rock bottom.

**COST OF CABLE****January 2, 12-1pm newscast (TRT 1:4)**

KCAL9 reporter Jaime Garza reported that the cost of cable is getting higher and higher. And that as long as the consumer is willing to pay rates will continue to climb.

**CHEAP GAS****January 30, 12-1pm newscast (TRT 1:56)**

KCAL9 money reporter Alan Mendelson reported on the rising cost of gasoline prices. However at one L.A. gas station prices were cut fifteen cents less because the owner has to sell 90 thousand gallons in three days.

**FED REACT****January 29, 12-1pm newscast (TRT 2:06)**

KCAL9 money reporter Alan Mendelson reported that the furniture business has benefited from low interest rates. And the Federal Reserve is now keeping rates low and steady for a while longer. Consumers shopping for furniture will now benefit.

**CALLER ID****January 29, 8-9pm newscast (TRT 1:40)**

KCAL9 reporter Julie Vallese reported that telemarketers would no longer be able to hide. They will have to reveal their identities on caller id's.

**CAR INSURANCE****January 23, 12-1pm newscast (TRT 2:00)**

KCAL9 reporter Glen Walker reported that consumer groups don't agree with insurance companies asking the potential buyer what their zip code is. The question seems to be more important than your driving record. Consumer groups say that's not the way it's supposed to be.

**BUDGET DRUGS****July 23, 12-1pm newscast (TRT 2:11)**

KCAL9 anchor Dave Gonzalez reported that a state senator wants California to start buying drugs from Canada, where they cost a lot less. If the bill is passed, it would make California the first state to approve such a plan.

**KISS YOUR MONEY****January 27, 12-1pm newscast (TRT 1:57)**

KCAL9 money reporter Alan Mendelson reported that a Federal Reserve's policy committee started a two-day meeting on low interest rates. The rates are likely to be unchanged and low. So if someone is frustrated at the low rates on bank accounts the strategy is to "KISS" your money. This means to keep it short and safe while waiting for higher interest rates.

**OC HOME PRICES****January 21, 8-9pm newscast (TRT 2:40)**

KCAL9 reporter Dave Lopez reported that home prices in Orange County have never been higher. The latest real estate figures show the housing market in Orange County is through the roof.

**TOP TEN CONSUMER FRAUD****January 22 2-3pm newscast (TRT 2:18)**

KCAL9 reporter Jay Jackson reported that identity theft is the fastest growing crime. It is also the number one complaint by consumers. ID theft and computer scams cost 440-million dollars a year.

**SENIOR MONEY****January 22, 9-10pm newscast (TRT 1:59)**

KCAL9 money reporter Alan Mendelson reported on the money issues Americans were talking about. One worry is universal. People fear that they will outlive their money. One solution is to invest for the long term, with investments that will grow and pay dividends that are more than bank interests.

**ZIP CODE/AUTO INSURANCE****January 22, 3-3:30pm newscast (TRT 2:08)**

KCAL9 reporter Mark Coogan reported that how much someone pays for auto insurance likely depends on where they live. Many say that's unfair, and 16 years after voters thought the problem was fixed, a new effort is underway to change the system.

**LA COUNTY RENT****January 22, 3-3:30pm newscast (TRT 2:16)**

KCAL9 reporter Jaime Garza reported that while rent may be going down in big cities across the country, the cost of rent here in southern California is on the rise. And as usual supply and demand is the reason why.

**MEDICAL MISTAKES****January 19, 8-9pm newscast (TRT 1:48)**

KCAL9 health watch reporter Dilva Henry reported that every year thousands of people get sick or even die by making a mistake on their prescription medications. Now there is a new device that can prevent critical mistakes and perhaps save your life.

**EDISON RATE****January 16, 10-10:45pm newscast (TRT :45)**

KCAL9 anchor Kerry Kilbride reported that a rate hike was in store for Southern California Edison customers. For the typical customer it add up to a dollar and a half a month. It results from a long term contract negotiated during the power crisis, and it won't expire until another seven years. Californians will be stuck with the fees until then.

**FBI OPERATION****January 21, 3-3:30pm newscast (TRT 2:03)**

KCAL9 reporter Mark Coogan reported that F-B-I agents swarmed a Los Angeles housing project in huge gang crackdown. 400 agents arrested dozens of people in the morning raid.

**PIRACY BUST****January 22, 10-10:45pm newscast (TRT 1:34)**

KCAL9 reporter Joel Connable reported that the F-B-I arrested a Chicago man for allegedly putting bootleg copies of movies on the Internet. Investigators say the films came from a Hollywood actor given "screener" copies.

**SEAT BELTS****January 21, 10-10:45pm newscast (TRT 1:47)**

KCAL9 reporter Lisa Sigell reported that a new study finds someone is killed in a car crash in the U.S. every 13 minutes. And more often than not, not wearing a seatbelt is to blame.

**OIL/GAS PRICES****February 2, 9-10pm newscast (TRT 2:07)**

KCAL9 money reporter Alan Mendelson reported that there was more bad news at the pumps. Wholesale gas prices went up by five cents a gallon. Fuel prices are expected to reach higher prices by the summer.

**NERVOUS MONEY****February 4, 9-10pm newscast (TRT 2:14)**

KCAL9 money reporter Alan Mendelson reported on some ideas consumers can do if they are nervous about their money. His first suggestion is government and corporate bonds. He also recommends gold and gold stocks. And lastly Energy stocks might be good because oil prices are rising.

**WORKING CLASS LOANS****February 5, 9-10pm newscast (TRT 1:58)**

KCAL9 money reporter Alan Mendelson reported that if someone wants to buy a house they don't need a high income for one of those "no money down" loans.

**MALL WARS PT. 1****February 9, 12-1pm newscast (TRT 3:58)**

KCAL9 reporter Pat Harvey reported that when it comes to opening Wal-Mart super stores in Southern California, Wal-Mart finds some stiff opposition.

**MALL WARS PT. 2****March 4, 10-10:45pm newscast (TRT 1:55)**

KCAL9 reporter Pat Harvey reported on "open air centers" in California such as The Grove, and Paseo Colorado and how they stimulate local economical growth. Pat Harvey reveals what these centers say about the future of the California lifestyle.

**GAS PRICES RISE****February 9, 9-10pm newscast (TRT 1:50)**

KCAL9 money reporter Alan Mendelson reported that gas prices at many stations were up ten cents. And that this was only the beginning of more price hikes.

**GAS PRICES****February 13, 2-3pm newscast (TRT 1:42)**

KCAL9 reporter Rick Chambers reported on what was behind the high gas prices just in time for the holiday weekend.

**FIRST TIME BUYERS****February 19, 9-10pm newscast (TRT 2:54)**

KCAL9 money reporter Alan Mendelson reported that an industry report showed mortgage rates were back at their lowest levels in seven months. Now it's making it easier for families to buy a home with no money down.

**STATE TAXES****February 20, 12-1pm newscast (TRT 1:57)**

KCAL9 money reporter Alan Mendelson reported that it's not just the IRS that audits tax returns, the state does as well.

**HOUSING VOUCHERS****February 24, 12-1pm newscast (TRT 2:02)**

KCAL9 reporter Jay Jackson reported that thousands of poor people who get help with their rent may soon be out on the streets. The government has changed the policy on the section eight money to help them.

**YOUR MONEY/SOC SECURITY****February 25, 9-10pm newscast (TRT 2:17)**

KCAL9 money reporter Alan Mendelson reported on the problems there are in Social Security. The squabble and the worries are having an impact on the stock market.

**99 CENT PHONE CARDS****February 23, 12-1pm newscast (TRT 2:00)**

KCAL9 money reporter Alan Mendelson reported that talk is getting cheaper, and the phone war is getting hotter. A big discount store chain is selling low priced phone cards. The phone card is 99 minutes for 99 cents.

**SOCIAL SECURITY****February 26, 12-1pm newscast (TRT 1:15)**

KCAL9 money reporter Alan Mendelson reported that there are proposals to let workers handle their own retirement funds. The President also suggests this, as are some investment advisors.

**GAS PRICES****February 26, 8-9pm newscast (TRT 1:57)**

KCAL9 reporter Jay Jackson reported that average gas prices have jumped 20 percent in the past month. And things are only expected to get worse.

**GAS SHORTAGE****February 27, 12-1pm newscast (TRT 2:08)**

KCAL9 money reporter Alan Mendelson reported that the situation at the gas pumps is only getting worse, with prices going higher. Some oil companies fear they won't have enough gasoline to meet rising demands.

**SUPERMARKET STRIKE****February 29, 9-10pm newscast (TRT 2:32)**

KCAL9 reporter Christina Penza reported that the supermarket strike was finally over. Workers approved a new contract ending a dispute that had many shoppers frustrated, and cost the grocery chains millions of dollars.

**DISCOUNT PHONE****March 2, 12-1pm newscast (TRT 1:55)**

KCAL9 money reporter Alan Mendelson reported that one of the most competitive industries is the phone industry. There is a low cost long

distance company based in Downtown L.A. It has rock bottom prices for domestic and international calls.

**IRS ALERT****March 3, 12-1pm newscast (TRT 2:00)**

KCAL9 money reporter Alan Mendelson reported on the latest and top scams people are trying to get some extra tax breaks.

**GAS PRICES****March 4, 10-10:45pm newscast (TRT 1:55)**

KCAL9 reporter Carmine Gallo reported that there is no relief in sight for skyrocketing gas prices. The only sure thing is that they will continue to climb.

**EL SEGUNDO/LAX PLAN****March 5, 9-10pm newscast (TRT 2:10)**

KCAL9 reporter Mark Coogan reported that expansion plans at LAX are triggering anger among the community. Officials of nearby cities say the airport will have about 10 million more passengers. They say that this will affect the quality of life.

**VACATION HOMES****March 5, 8-9pm newscast (TRT 1:52)**

KCAL9 reporter Julie Vallese reported that even though summer is months away, time was running out for people to lock in the vacation home by the beach.

**FACTORY SURPLUS INTRO****March 8, 9-10pm newscast (TRT 2:06)**

KCAL9 money reporter Alan Mendelson reported that economic recovery has been slower than expected, especially in the employment arena. That means that department stores haven't been able to sell merchandise, and that means more deals for shoppers.

**GAS PRICES****March 10, 8-9pm newscast (TRT 1:35)**

KCAL9 reporter Joel Connable reported that with gas prices so high drivers are looking to find the cheapest prices in town. Joel was at a gas station in Westchester where they were doing brisk business.

**MORTGAGE SHOCK****March 11, 12-1pm newscast (TRT 2:05)**

KCAL9 money reporter Alan Mendelson reported that the red hot housing market may be disguising a problem in the future. Mortgage

shock is when a family discovers they can no longer afford their loans. A mortgage company is warning on the danger.

**DMV HELP****March 12, 10-10:45pm newscast (TRT 2:14)**

KCAL9 anchor Pat Harvey reported that the DMV is hoping to make the long lines a thing of the past. There is a push to hire 400 more people in the next two months to help reduce the wait time to 30 minutes.

**TRAIN SECURITY****March 12, 10-10:45pm newscast (TRT 1:25)**

KCAL9 reporter Josh Rubenstein reported that many southern California rail commuters are asking just how safe from terrorism are the local trains and subways.

**RALPH'S CLOSING****March 17, 10-10:45pm newscast (TRT 1:37)**

KCAL9 reporter Lora McLaughlin reported that the supermarket chain Ralph's will soon be closing 15 of its stores throughout the state. Ralph's says the stores are being closed because of poor sales.

**DIRTY FOODS****March 18, 8-9pm newscast (TRT 2:10)**

KCAL9 reporter Joel Connable reported on the top ten dirtiest foods and what the public needs to know before they take another bite.

**TAX TIPS****March 22, 12-1pm newscast (TRT 1:55)**

KCAL9 money reporter Alan Mendelson reported that tax payers have already started filing for their returns. And the IRS is finding that these taxpayers are making plenty of mistakes, including not signing the tax return, and math errors.

**WATER AND POWER****March 25, 12-1pm newscast (TRT 2:16)**

KCAL9 reporter Mark Coogan reported that Los Angeles residents would be receiving higher utility bills, a whopping 18 percent higher. Even City Hall is a little shocked at the big hike, and they may do something to stop it.